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## **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

### **Forest Service**

#### **Tongass Advisory Committee**

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

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**SUMMARY:** The Tongass Advisory Committee (Committee) will meet in Juneau, Alaska. The Committee is established consistent with the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972 (5 U.S.C. App. 2). Committee recommendations and advice may directly inform the development of a proposed action for modification of the 2008 Tongass Land Management Plan. The meeting is open to the public. Additional information concerning the Committee, including the meeting summary/minutes, can be found by visiting the Committee's website at:

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/goto/R10/Tongass/TAC>.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on:

- Wednesday, March 25, 2015 from 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM (AKDT).
- Thursday, March 26, 2015 from 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM (AKDT).
- Friday, March 27, 2015 from 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM (AKDT).

All meetings are subject to change and cancellation. For updated status of the meetings prior to attendance, please visit the website listed in the *Summary* section, or contact the person listed under *For Further Information Contact*.

**ADDRESSES:** The meetings will be held in the Assembly Chambers in the Juneau Municipal Building, 155 S. Seward Street, Juneau, Alaska 99801. Written comments may be submitted as

described under *Supplementary Information*. All comments, including names and addresses when provided, are placed in the record and available for public inspection and copying. The public may inspect comments received at the Tongass National Forest Office. Please call ahead to facilitate entry into the building.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Marina Whitacre, Committee Coordinator, by phone at 907-772-5934, or by email at [mwhitacre@fs.fed.us](mailto:mwhitacre@fs.fed.us). Individuals who use telecommunication devices for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m., Eastern Standard Time, Monday through Friday.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The purpose of the meeting is to:

1. Continue discussions about Plan Amendment recommendations;
2. Continue discussions about implementation, investments, and monitoring/accountability;
3. Review status of Forest Service effects analyses on Plan components; and
4. Finalize plans for subsequent TAC meeting(s).

There will be time allotted on the agenda for oral public comment. Those interested can register at the meeting. In addition, written statements may be filed with the Committee's staff before or after the meeting. Written comments may also be submitted by mail to Jason Anderson, Designated Federal Officer, Tongass National Forest, P.O. Box 309, Petersburg, Alaska 99833; or email to [jasonanderson@fs.fed.us](mailto:jasonanderson@fs.fed.us), or facsimile to 907-772-5895. Summary/minutes of the meeting will be posted on the website listed above within 45 days after the meeting.

*Meeting Accommodations:* If you are a person requiring reasonable accommodation, please make requests in advance for sign language interpreting, assistive listening devices or other reasonable accommodation for access to the facility or proceedings by contacting the person

listed in the section titled *For Further Information Contact*. All reasonable accommodation requests are managed on a case-by-case basis.

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